

General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 707

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Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by: (PS)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAY SCALE OF THE STATE POLICE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective from passage) (a) Notwithstanding any
 - provision of chapter 67 of the general statutes or any collective
- 3 bargaining agreement, no step in a lower class of position of sworn
- 4 personnel in the Division of State Police shall receive a higher rate of
- 5 compensation than any step in a higher class of position of such sworn
- 6 personnel.
- 7 (b) Not later than June 1, 2007, the Commissioner of Administrative
- 8 Services shall restructure the existing pay scale of the sworn personnel
- 9 of the Division of State Police to correct any inequities in accordance
- 10 with subsection (a) of this section.
- 11 (c) Any sworn member of the state police promoted to the rank of
- sergeant on or after July 1, 2004, shall receive a retroactive payment,
- without interest, to compensate the sergeant for the reduced rate of
- 14 compensation that such sergeant received after attaining the rank of
- 15 sergeant. The Commissioner of Administrative Services shall provide
- 16 each such sergeant with a retroactive payment in an amount that is

- 17 equal to the difference between (1) the total amount of regular
- 18 compensation that the sergeant received for the period commencing on
- 19 the effective date of such promotion and ending on May 31, 2007,
- 20 pursuant to the pay scale in effect for such period, and (2) the total
- 21 amount of regular compensation such sergeant would have received
- 22 for such period if the restructured pay scale had been in effect.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1 from passage New section

Statement of Purpose:

To correct state police pay compression anomalies.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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